

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Appl. No. : 09/701,313
Applicant : Elmar R. Burchardt
Filed : November 28, 2000
Title : Monoclonal Antibody and Assay for Detecting PIINP
Conf. No. : 8752

Art Unit : 1644
Examiner : Maher M. Haddad

Docket No.: 14173.105005
Cust. No. : 20786

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Transmittal of Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement

Sir:

The citation of information on the accompanying Form PTO/SB/08A, "Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant" is made pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56, 1.97, and 1.98. A copy of each reference is enclosed. The citation of this information does not constitute an admission of priority or that any cited item is available as a reference, or a waiver of any right the applicant may have under applicable statutes, Rules of Practice in patent cases, or otherwise.

Please charge the amount of \$180.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-3732 because this paper is being submitted after the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits but before the mailing of a final Office Action, as under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c)(2). However, should the Commissioner determine that additional fees are due, he is hereby authorized to charge such fees and to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-3732.

Respectfully submitted,

KING & SPALDING, L.L.P.

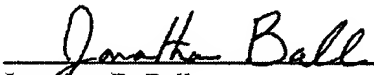
Dated: August 31, 2007.

By:

Mailing Address:

KING & SPALDING, L.L.P.

1185 Avenue of the Americas
New York, New York 10036-4003
(212) 556-2115
(212) 556-2222 (Fax)


Jonathan D. Ball
Registration No. 59,928

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1449A/PTO INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				Complete if Known	
				Application Number	09/701,313
				Filing Date	November 28, 2000
				First Named Inventor	Elmar R. Burchardt
				Group Art Unit	1644
				Examiner Name	Maher M. Haddad
Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	14173.105005

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials *	Cite No	U.S. Patent Document		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication Document MM-DD-YY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Passages/Relevant Figures Appear
		Number	Kind Code (if known)			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials *	Cite No	Foreign Patent Document			Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Date of Publication Document MM-DD-YY	Pages, Columns, Lines Relevant Passages- Relev Appear
		Office ¹	Number	Kind Code ² (if known)			
		EP	0339443	A2	Hoechst Aktengesellschaft	11-02-1989	Abstract
		EP	0298210	A2	Hoechst Aktengesellschaft	01-11-1989	Abstract
		EP	0289930	A2	Hoechst Aktengesellschaft	11-09-1988	Abstract
		EP	0004940	A1	Hoechst Aktengesellschaft	10-31-1979	Abstract

OTHER PRIOR ART – NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS				
Examiner Initials *	Cite No	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	T ⁶	

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
--------------------	--	-----------------	--

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹ Unique citation designation number. ² See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U. S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.